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Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Primary Examiner's decision dated May 20, 2003, finally rejecting claims 1-4, 6-18, 90, and 91.

Applicants hereby request an extension of time of three months from the due date of August 20, 2003. Enclosed is a check to cover both the \$475.00 extension of time fee and the \$165.00 appeal fee.

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